

## **Public Notice**

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## 2007 Seasonal Lockage Schedule For Recreational Craft Through Navigation Locks On The Snake and Columbia Rivers

The Walla Walla District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, is implementing the 2007 seasonal lockage schedule for the passage of recreational craft through the following navigation locks:

McNary Dam Columbia River Mile 292

Ice Harbor Dam Snake River Mile 9.7

Lower Monumental Dam Snake River Mile 41.6

Little Goose Dam Snake River Mile 70.3

Lower Granite Dam Snake River Mile 107.3

Accordingly, the following annual recreational craft lockage schedule will be implemented beginning May 15, 2007.

Annual Seasonal Recreational Craft Lockage Schedule For the Period May 15 Through September 15							
Direction	McNary	Ice	Lower	Little	Lower		
	•	Harbor	Monumental	Goose	Granite		
Upstream	9:00 a.m.						
	12:01 p.m.						
	3:00 p.m.						
	6:00 p.m.						
	9:00 p.m.						
Downstream	9:30 a.m.						
	12:30 p.m.						
	3:30 p.m.						
	6:30 p.m.						
	9:30 p.m.						

We will consider special lockages, outside the above scheduled lockage times, for flotillas or other unique requirements sponsored by yacht clubs, marinas, and other groups, provided advance (at least 24-hours) arrangements have been made with the appropriate operations manager or their appointed representative. Contact the following project office and operations manager for scheduling of special lockages:

Project	Operatio	Control Room	
McNary Project	Randell Ryan	(541) 922-2251	(541) 922-2231
Ice Harbor Project	Dave Coleman	(509) 543-3251	(509) 543-3231
Lower Monumental Project	Roger Golladay	(509) 282-7251	(509) 282-3218
Little Goose Project	Carl Knaak	(509) 399-2233x251	(509) 399-2233x231
Lower Granite Project	Martin Mendiola	(509) 843-1493x251	(509) 843-1493x231

When a recreational vessel lockage schedule is in effect, recreational vessels will only be allowed to lock through at the times designated for such lockages and they will take precedence over commercial vessels. Commercial vessels will continue to be locked through upon arrival except during the times specified for recreational vessel lockages. At the discretion of the lock operator, recreational vessels may be allowed to lock through with commercial craft.

All vessel owner/operators lock through at their own risk. Follow the directions of the lock operator when using the locks or operating in the vicinity of the locks. The lock operator has final authority on the suitability of a craft for lockage. Please refer to U.S. Corps of Engineers Safe Lockage Policy for Recreational Craft on the Columbia and Snake Rivers, published separately, for additional safety requirements.

For additional information on this matter or copies of our Safe Lockage policy, please call Operations Division at (509) 527-7115 or (509) 527-7114.

/s/ SCOTT S. ROSS
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